

HABS No. SC-338

Kamchatka (Gen. James Chesnut House)
Kirkwood Lane
Camden
Kershaw County
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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE South Carolina	COUNTY Kershaw	TOWN OR VICINITY Camden
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Kamchatka		HABS NO. SC-338
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE General James Chesnut House		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) Kirkwood Lane		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) c. 1854	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE)	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Mid-19th century country house.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE)		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Two stories wood frame, clapboarded above one stuccoed story		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) Three stories, rectangular with two story wings		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Hip roof, two-story piazza on three sides, symmetrical stairs ascending to second story, iron balcony at third story central window on south side		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) Interior trim combines details of classical and medieval origins. Mantel pieces were originally painted, now are of natural pine.		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.)		
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